

# FISHER'S GREAT PRICE-SMASHING SALE NOW GOING ON!

**Our Call For Assistance Nobly Responded To**

By an enormous host of our friends and the general public, who appreciate the difference between this vast unloading of high-grade merchandise and the ordinary clearing sales generally held these days.

**\$127,000** In Men's and Boys' up-to-the-minute. **Clothing, Furnishings, Hats, Shoes, &c.,** must go, so that we can raise the money to meet our obligations.

**PRICES LESS THAN COST OF THE RAW MATERIAL**

REMEMBER, we refund the money if purchase fails to please. Don't put off coming; the time is opportune to purchase for your present as well as future needs.

**Here Are Some of the Prices That Are Bringing the Crowds!**

## Men's and Young Men's Suits

In All the Newest Styles and Fabrics.

Suits that were \$7.50 now	\$3.45
Suits that were \$10.00 now	\$5.45
Suits that were \$12.50 now	\$6.45
Fine Hand-Tailored Suits that were \$15.00 now	\$8.45
Superb Hand-Tailored Suits that were \$16.50 and \$18.00 now	\$9.45
Hand-Tailored Suits that were \$20.00 now	\$12.45
High-Grade Suits that were \$22.50 now	\$14.45
All our Finest Suits that were \$25 and \$30 now	\$16.45
Men's Black Coats and Vests, made in clay and unfinished worsteds, that were \$12.50 and \$15, now	\$2.89

## Men's Furnishings

10c White Hemstitched Handkerchiefs	3c
10 Black and Tan Seamless Sox	7c
15c Embroidered Sox	7c
25c and 50c Fancy Sox	16c
50c and 75c Underwear	39c
35c Underwear	19c
25c White and Fancy Pique Four-In-Hand Ties	8c
25c Silk Four-In-Hand Ties	14c
25c Suspenders now	11c
50c and 75c Working Shirts	39c
50c Black and Tan Belts	23c
Boys' 15c Ribbed Hose	8c
75c Outing Shirts	39c
\$2.00 Solid White and Fancy Vests now	98c

## Men's Separate Trousers

In Worsteds, Cheviots, Flannels and Homespun

\$1.50 Trousers now	98c
\$2.00 Trousers now	\$1.29
\$2.50 and \$3.00 Trousers now	\$1.69
\$3.50 and \$4.00 Trousers now	\$2.69
\$5.00 High-Grade Trousers now	\$3.19
\$6.50 and \$7.50 Trousers now	\$4.69

## Men's Fine Shoes

In All Leathers and Styles.

\$1.50 White Canvas Low and High Cut Shoes now	89c
\$2.50 Shoes now	\$1.69
\$3.00 Shoes now	\$1.95
\$3.50 and \$4.00 Shoes now	\$2.19
\$4.50 Shoes now	\$2.69
\$5.00 High-Grade Shoes now	\$3.29

**\$1.00 and \$1.50 Eclipse and Other High-Grade Shirts - 69c**

## Boys' Clothing

In All the Latest Styles for Boys from 3 to 17 Yrs

Boys' Suits that were \$1.50 and \$2.00 now	\$1.09
Boys' Suits that were \$2.50 and \$3.00 now	\$1.69
Boys' Suits that were \$3.50 and \$4.00 now	\$2.19
Boys' Suits that were \$4.50 and \$5.00 now	\$3.39
Boys' Suits that were \$6.00 and \$7.50 now	\$4.49
Boys' Wool and Corduroy Pants that were 50c now	19c

## Men's Straw and Felt Hats

50c Outing Hats	20c
\$1.00 Straw Hats	50c
\$1.50 Straw Hats	80c
\$2.00 Straw Hats	\$1.19
\$2.50 Straw Hats	\$1.49
\$3.00 and \$4.00 Straw Hats	\$1.89
\$1.00 and \$1.50 Derbys and Soft Hats now	70c
\$2.00 Derbys and Soft Hats now	\$1.29
\$2.50 Derbys and Soft Hats now	\$1.79
\$3.00 and \$3.50 Derbys and Soft Hats	\$2.29
Boys' 50c Golf Caps	17c
Men's \$1.00 and \$1.50 Office Coats, now	40c

**Positively**  
**No Goods Charged During this Sale**

**Forty Years'**  
**Reliable Dealing**

**Men's \$2 Corduroy Pants - 98c**



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**Forced to Unload**  
**by Backward Season**

**\$2 High-Grade Negligee Shirts - 97c**

**Your Money Will Be Cheerfully Returned if Purchase Fails to Please.**

## A MERRY PARTY AT BRANDON HOTEL

Bowling is a Prime Favorite Among Many Amusements.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

BASIC CITY, VA., July 15.—In spite of the cloudy skies without, on Wednesday the Brandon had sunshine within. The bowling alley furnished amusement for two parties. In the morning Miss Imogen Riddick was the brilliant winner of the first game, and Mr. Tate Cheney of the second. Miss Florence Lacy won the battle in the afternoon. Some of the bowlers were Mrs. Sheldon, Mrs. Lacy, Miss Dabney, Miss Riddick, Miss Robinson, Miss Lacy, Mr. Cheney, Mr. Aspinwall, Mr. Williams, Master Moseley and others.

Two social functions made the night a gay one. Dr. J. B. McCarr's eighty-second birthday was celebrated by a seven-hand euchre party in one of the parlors. The Doctor had at his table Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Lampkins, Mrs. Nash, Mrs. Hoadley, Mrs. Guy and Mrs. Woodward. The Doctor won the prize, to the satisfaction of all. After the game refreshments were served in the form of cake and

punch. The large birthday cake had Dr. McCarr's age outlined on the top in Maraschino cherries. His charming daughter, Mrs. Lampkins, officiated at the punch bowl.

At the same time the juveniles in the ball room were enjoying a potato party, given by our popular hostess, Mrs. Robinson. Mr. Jack Aspinwall won the first prize and Miss Imogen Riddick the booby prize. Such of the guests as were not engaged in card playing watched the efforts of the young people to capture the elusive potato, and much merriment was the result.

Fishing excursions have been in vogue of late, South River being the goal of the angler. Among the attractive young matrons who are guests at the Brandon are Mrs. Hoadley, daughter-in-law of the late Governor Hoadley, of Ohio, and Mrs. W. G. Moseley and Mrs. Stewart Woodward, of Richmond. The social talent and beautiful toilettes of these ladies add to the attractions of the place.

Recent arrivals at the hotel are Miss Wilson, Staunton; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Riddick, Richmond; Miss Imogen Riddick, Richmond; Mrs. J. L. McDowell, Richmond; C. R. Guy, Richmond; J. Preston Carson, Dundee, Va.; the Misses Richardson, Richmond; W. F. Dancy, Richmond; W. S. Burke and wife, Staunton; R. W. Burke, Staunton; J. L. Witte and daughter, Staunton; Mrs. S. C. Dabney, Louisville, Ky.; Miss Dabney, Louisville, Ky.; W. R. Johnson and family, West Virginia; Rev. P. W. Nye, Ky. Va.; Mrs. Roy, Atlanta, Ga.; Margaret Webb, Tate F. Cheney, Ashland, Va.; Mrs. Henry Anderson, Louisville, Ky.; Mrs. James E. Baker and child, St. Louis; Mrs. R. Carter Wellford, Richmond; Mrs. W. H. Harrison and maid, Virginia; J. S. Harrison, Virginia; Mrs. Sam Gordon and maid, St. Louis, Mo.; Katherine Gordon, St. Louis, Mo.; Virginia Gordon, St. Louis, Mo.; Sam Gordon, St. Louis, Mo.

## DR. HAWTHORNE AT BLUE RIDGE SPRINGS

He Finds Congenial Company in the Sage of Bedford.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

BLUE RIDGE SPRINGS, VA., July 15.—A philosophic writer says: "The preacher who finds his true vision gone and a morbid pessimism taking its place had better cease utterance and take to the woods and the mountains." My intellectual and spiritual vision have not forsaken me, and I am not in a condition of "morbid pessimism," but the protracted tortures of sciatic rheumatism have brought me near enough to the unenviable state described by the writer from whom I have quoted, to recognize the advisability of suspending the joys of a city pastorate for a while and seeking rest in some mountain retreat. I have found at this mountain resort many things that will serve to promote the renewal of physical and intellectual vigor. As a remedy for a weak stomach and disordered nerves, the mineral water here cannot be surpassed. Captain Phil. Brown, the unrivaled host, is responsive to the needs and wishes of every guest, and his noble wife joins him in every effort to contribute to our comfort and happiness. The majestic shade trees, the grass-covered and flower-decked lawns and meadows, the sky-kissing mountains, the music of the birds and the flowing waters are soothing to my nerves and inspiring to my soul. A fifteen minutes walk from the hotel

brings us to a point from which we have a clear view of the far-famed Peaks of Otter. In the beautiful valley, which sleeps at their feet some of Virginia's noblest sons were born. There Bishop Cobb and Dr. Jeter first saw the light of day. It is said that in the last days of his pure and useful life, Bishop Cobb was heard to exclaim: "God grant that when my work on earth is done I may be laid beneath the soil of this peaceful valley, and in the morning of the resurrection upon my eyes first on the majestic Peaks of Otter." There, too, was born and reared the "Sage of Bedford"—Col. John Goode—who still lingers on the shores of time, and whose eloquent words and patriotic deeds will live to cheer and inspire the hearts of his countrymen long after the grave has closed in silence over his mortal remains.

Col. Goode is now a guest at Blue Ridge. His genial manner, his wise sayings, his reminiscences of a long career at the bar and in the halls of the legislature, and his inexhaustible store of witty anecdotes, render him the social magnet and centre of the large and rapidly-growing circle of visitors. I do not know any living Virginian who occupies a larger place in the admiration and affection of the people of this State.

Another distinguished and much admired visitor is Col. Spaight, of Galveston, Texas. He is a famous lawyer and author. It is one of the rarest privileges of my life to spend an hour or two each day, in company of these venerable men, and hear them review the past, and in the light of experience forecast the future.

Among the successful and notable merchants of the South, who spend their summers here are Messrs: Sprout, of New Orleans; Moody, of Galveston, and Rucker, of Henry county, Va.

Prominent among the lady visitors are Mrs. McKinney, wife of Governor McKinney; Mrs. Stone, of Texas, and Mrs. Baldwin, of Petersburg.

J. B. HAWTHORNE

## COTTAGE LIFE AT BUCKROE BEACH

Wide Reach Between That and the Picnic Visitors' Experience.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

BUCKROE BEACH, VA., July 15.—Cape View is that delightful cottage at Buckroe Beach facing and very near to the bay, and commanding such a beautiful view of the capes. Believing that along with southern hospitality and southern pride, means southern loyalty as well, it must be of interest to Richmond to know something of the whereabouts of Richmonders. The life at Buckroe Beach as viewed by one of an excursion party of twenty-one or twenty-two car loads of people dumped or otherwise expelled at the pavilion, and life here as viewed by one of the members of the refined and delightful cottage circle are as opposed as life at two entirely different places could possibly be.

At each cottage there is a continuous house party during the summer season in which the personnel changes from time to time, but in which the enthusiasm and "jolly good time," are uninterrupted. We are not far from Richmond, and yet to be brought from the heat of the city, which is done in a little over two hours, to this exhilarating sea breeze, to take a dip or swim in the surf, to come out with an appetite so keen that anything would seem good and have a supper such as is served at Cape View Cottage of fish,

oysters and crabs, elegantly prepared, makes one feel as if it were another world. There is almost every kind of amusement at Buckroe that one can think of, but "bridge" seems the game par excellence, though just now there is a very hilarious euchre party for girls going on at this cottage. The men are often out during the day fishing, and if they catch what they bring in (why is it that men can't be trusted about fish), they are very successful. Then, too, Buckroe is adjacent to many less attractive resorts, and for variety little parties are often made up to spend the day at Old Point, Ocean View and Virginia Beach. Among the names of the Richmond people who have recently registered at Cape View cottage are: Mr. and Mrs. William T. Reed, Mrs. M. A. Reed, Mrs. Frank Steger, formerly of Richmond, with four attractive daughters—Miss Elliott, Miss Josephine Elliott, Mr. Tazewell Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. Charles, Mr. Ferrell and son, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Walford, Mr. Hardwick, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. John Tyler, Miss Florence Tyler, Rev. Alfred Bagby, Mr. and Mrs. Ben. Tamm, Mrs. B. B. Keller, Mrs. Thomas I. Bocock, Mrs. Thomas Cary Johnson, Judge R. Carter Scott and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Hagan and children, Mr. A. B. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Latham, Mr. F. G. Ball, Mr. and Mrs. Shelton and others.

**New Kent News.**  
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
TALL EYSVILLE, VA., July 15.—Mr. Earle Harris, of Richmond, is the guest of Mr. Norwood Apperson, of this county. Mr. William Apperson, of this county, and Rev. J. H. Webster, pastor of Corinth Baptist Church, have gone to attend the Peninsula Association, which will be held in Newport News. Miss Benj. Whitlock, of Richmond, is the guest of Mrs. Walter Timberlake, of the Courthouse. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Griffith, of the White House, spent Sunday with Mrs. Norwood Apperson. Misses Blanche and Annie Chandler,

of this county, are attending the normal school in Charlottesville.

Misses Blinn and Howard and Dr. Howard, of Charles City, have been visiting at Mrs. Valden's, at the Courthouse.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Littlepage expect to visit King William next Saturday.

Mr. Pollard and Miss White, of King William, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Littlepage this week.

**West Point People.**  
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

WEST POINT, VA., July 15.—Dr. W. K. Galewood is confined to the house. He stuck his leg against the step of his buggy and it is giving him trouble. His daughter, Mrs. J. J. Moore, of Columbia, S. C., is with him. Miss Mary Galewood is visiting her sister, Mrs. Emmerson Smith, in Portsmouth. Miss Margaret Bagby will visit Miss Saddle White in Richmond a few days, and then Miss White and Miss Bagby will give a house party in Blackstone, Va., the guests of Miss Annie Spay. Mrs. Nannie Richardson and Mrs. Sallie Gunther, of Richmond, are spending a month in West Point at the home of Mrs. Kate P. Richardson. Mrs. Phil Gibson is spending the summer with her sister, Mrs. J. H. Gary. Mrs. Wood, nee Angus, of Richmond, is summing at the Palmer House.

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